

PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY (Worksheet)

The President began his day at (place)

White House

Day Tuesday

Date 8-18-64

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Called

Entry No.	Time	Telephone		Activity (include visited by)*	Expenditure Code
		f or t	Lo LD		
	7:00			Awakened by Operator -- requested breakfast from kitchen	
	7:59	t		George Reedy	
<i>c</i>	8:35	f		Abe Fortas (n/r) Smathers,	
<i>c</i>	8:45			Legislative Leaders Breakfast w/ Senators Mansfield, Boggs , Humphrey; Congressmen	
<i>c</i>				Boggs, Speaker McCormack, Larry O'Brien, Jack Valenti, George Reedy,	
	9:55			<i>To office - w/ leaders</i> - leaders to Cabinet Room at 9:57am	
	9:57			<i>To Walter Jenkins ofc., returning to his office at 10:00</i>	
<i>c</i>	10:05			<i>To Cabinet Room for Signing Ceremony - H.R. 10041 - Hill-Burton Act</i>	
				Senator Mike Mansfield Cong. Horace Kornegay <i>Made Remarks</i>	
				Senator Hubert Humphrey Cong. W. R. Hull	
			q	Senator George Smathers Cong. Gillis Long T. Stewart Hamilton - MD	
				Senator Wayne Morse Cong. Lionel Van Deerlin	
				Senator Ralph Yarborough Cong. J. J. Pickle	
				Senator Jennings Randolph Cong. William Springer	
				Senator Claiborne Pell Cong. Paul Schenck	
				Speaker John McCormack Secy of HEW Celebrdzze	
				Cong. Carl Albert Asst. Secy of HEW Wilbur Cohen	
				Cong. Hale Boggs Actg. Surgeon Gen. David Price	
				Cong. Oren Harris Dr. Harold Graning, Public Health Service	
				Cong. Kenneth A. Roberts Mr. Stanley Ferguson - Amer. Hospital Assoc.	
				Cong. Harley Staggers Mr. Kenneth Williamson - Amer. Hospital Assoc.	
				Cong. Walter Rogers Dr. Vane Hoge - Amer. Hospital Assoc.	
				Cong. Samuel Ex Friddel Dr. W. Montague Cobb - Natl. Medical Assoc.	
				Cong. Leo O'Brien Dr. Russell Nelson - Pres., Johns Hopkins Univ.	
				Cong. John Moss Mr. Nelson H. Cruikshank - AFL-CIO	
				Cong. Paul Rogers Miss Lisbeth Bamberger - AFL-CIO	
				Miss Hilda H. Kroger- MD Dr. Albert Dent - Pres., Dillard Univ.	

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<i>c</i>	10:25			To office w/ Senator Hubert Humphrey - joined by Walter Jenkins - <i>W. Jenkins at 10:55</i>	
<i>c</i>	10:55			<i>Abe Fortas and Gov. David Lawrence join</i>	
<i>c</i>	11:00			<i>Clark Clifford joins ^{all} out at 11:33 - met re Mississippi and Alabama</i>	
	11:25	<i>/</i>		<i>S. Reedy (b. 1)</i>	
<i>c</i>	11:40			<i>Press conference - impromptu</i>	<i>until 11:56</i>
	12:00			To walk outside of office to greet the Prime Minister of Iceland, His Excellency, Bjarni Benediktsson, as he stepped from his car. Then took him on walk around the South Grounds w/ rest of the party following behind	
	12:23			To Office w/ the Prime Minister of Iceland and H. Ex. Thor Thors, Amb. of Iceland to US, Mr. Bjorn Bjarnason, son of Prime Minister, Mr. Richard H. Davis, Deputy Asst Secy, Bur. of European Affairs, Amb. Angier Biddle Duke, Mr. Richard D. Geppert, Officer in Charge, Icelandic Affairs, Mae Craig-Press. <i>(info fr State Dept - yf)</i>	
	12:31			To Cabinet Room to show the Prime Minister the room, then bad goodbye to the Prime Minister as he departed from <i>my</i> room to his car	
				During the meeting gifts were exchanged: The President gave the Prime Minister the following: Card Tray - vermeil - w/ Presidential seal in gold and engraved inscription in facsimile handwriting Photograph - autographed - sterling silver frame with seal - "To His Excellency Bjarni Benediktsson, Prime Minister of Iceland, with warm personal regards, LBJ" Book - autographed - leather bound - "A Time for Action." "To His Excellency, Bjarni Benediktsson, Prime Minister of Iceland, as a token of my deep appreciation for your visit to Washington, LBJ" Moon Shots - NASA photographs taken from Ranger VII prior to his impact on the moon, July 31, 1964, in leather presentation case. The Prime Minister gave the President the following: Bible printed in late 16th Century with carved wooden covers Autographed photograph in xxx sterling silver frame	

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	12:33			To office	
c	12:36	f		Senator Mansfield (b.2)	
	12:45	+		Mr. George Bundy (pl)	
	12:47	+		W. Jenkins (pl)	
c	1:02		+	Mayor Robert Wagner - NYC (b.2)	
c	1:14	+		Senator George Smathers (b.2)	
	1:20			John L Lewis - re Coal Mine Safety Bill	
c	1:25			To mansion for lunch w/ John L Lewis	Off record
	2:15	+		Walter Jenkins	
c	3:45	+		Senator Hubert Humphrey (fr. mans.)	
	3:50	+		G. Reedy (fr. mans.)	
	4:05	+		Jack Valenti (" ")	
c	4:14			To movie theater w/ Mrs J To view "Road to Leadership." This film showed the President's biography which will be used at the convention.	
	4:46			To the office	
	4:55	+		Larry O'Brien (b.3)	
	4:59	+		J Valenti (pl)	
	5:00			Mrs. Johnson, Lee White	

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		From	To		
	5:01			<i>Horace Busby (6.3)</i>	
<i>c</i>	5:02			In office w/ Gov. LeRoy Collins, Arthur Dean, Julius Manger, Jr., and Mr. <i>John W.</i> Wheeler	
<i>c</i>	5:05			To Flower Garden w/ above to greet the National Citizens Committee for Community Relations - w/ Mrs. Johnson - MADE REMARKS After making remarks, the President stood at the Southwest exit of the Flower Garden and shook hands with the departing members. Approximately 425 people were present, and in the group were many notables. Complete list sent to Dorothy Territo	→ 5.45
				Exchanged ltrs w/ Attory General Kennedy re Committee on Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Crime and the program proposed by Washington Action for Youth for an attack on juvenile delinquency in the District of Columbia - text released on Aug. 22 for Sunday, Aug. 23 papers	

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	5:45	<i>f</i>		<i>Larry O'Brien (b.3)</i>	
	5:50	<i>f</i>		<i>Horace Busby (b.3)</i>	
	5:56	<i>f</i>		<i>Bill Mayer (pl)</i>	
<i>c</i>	6:00			To the Flower Garden with the Attorney General. The AG introduced the President, and the President made remarks to assembled group of U. S. Marshals After the remarks, the President made his way through ψ the crowd with the Attorney General and stood at the Southwest Exit of the Flower Garden w/ the Attorney General, and shook hands with each departing guest. In the crowd were Mrs. Robert F. Kennedy and United States Marshals and their families, numbering approximately 220. Total list with those in attendance sent to Dorothy Territo. (Note: Deputy AG, Nicholas Katzenbach, also attended)	
<i>q</i>				Issued Executive Order creating an emergency board to investigate disputes between the carriers represented by the national railway labor conference and certain of their employees Made public letter from the President to the Speaker of the House - re H. R. 9586 providing for the establishment of a National Council on the Arts Issued Proclamation - designating Thursday, September 24, 1964, as "United States Marshal Day"	

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	6:22			To Office w/ TV	
	6:25	+		Walter Jenkins (p.l.)	
	6:30	+		Senator Humphrey (b.f.)	
	6:35	+		Secretary Rusk (b.f.)	
	6:38	+		Bill Meyers (p.l.)	
	6:50	t		Walter Jenkins (p.l.)	
	6:52			To the Mansion to meet with newspaper Bureau Chiefs listed below: George Reedy, OFFRECORD	
				Milton L. Kaplan, Hearst Jack Leacocos, Cleveland Plain Dealer	
				William H. Stringer, Christian Science Monitor W. P. Steven, Houston Chronicle	
				Paul L. Martin, Gannett Amon Carter Evans, Nashville Tennessean	
				Barnet Nover, Denver Post Martin S. Ochs, Chattanooga Times	
				David Wise, New York Herald Tribune Ben Golden, Chattanooga Times	
				Raymond P. Brandt, St. Louis Post Dispatch Hugh Patterson, Jr., Little Rock Gazette	
				Lyle C. Wilson, UPI E. Palmer Hoyt, Denver Post	
				W. L. Beale, Jr., AP Bob White (Mexico, Missouri, Ledger	
				Edwin A. Lahey, Knight Newspapers Harry Bingham, Louisville Courier Journal)	
c	8:30			To Cabinet Room where the Attorney General was waiting and they both walked to Oval Room	
				Attorney General out 10:07 p. m.	
	9:20	t		Walter Jenkins (p.l.)	
	10:10			To Walter Jenkins office	
	10:15			To mansion	
	10:20	f		Dick Goodwin (n/r - Mansion)	
	11:03	t		George Reedy	
	11:12			Called Operator -- "tell the Chief to come over"	
c	10:20			Met briefly w/ WT and Mr. Myrph Foot of Haskins & Sells to go over the auditor's report on Johnson finances to be released tomorrow	
c	10:45			Dinner w/ Mrs. Johnson, W.P. "Bill" Steven of Houston Chronicle and (1)	

11:30

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